**Non-payment of wages**

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Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a number of public undertakings are not paying wages to their workers regularly and satutory dues are in arrears; and

(b) if so, the names of such defaulting PSUs, the number of workers affected in each case and the details of the outstanding wages and statutory dues, separately, as on the 31st March, 2001 and 2002?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI ASHOK PRADHAN): (a) and (b) According to the information provided by the Administrative Ministries/Departments, 72 Central Public Sector Enterprises had outstanding wages and statutory dues as on 31.12.2001. The PSU-wise details of these dues along with the number of workers affected is annexed as statement.

***Statement***

*PSE-wise position of salaries and wages and outstanding statutory dues as on 31.12.2001 (Rs. in Lakhs) based on information received from 238 CPSUs*

| SI. No | CPSUs | Out-standing salary wages | Total outstanding Statutory dues | No. of employees affected due to outstanding dues | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | Statutory dues other than wages | Salary wages |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| 1 | Andrew Yule & Company Ltd. | 18.6 | 598.4 | 15457 | 77 |
| 2 | Bengal Chemicals & Pharm. Ltd. | — | 65.0 | 907 | — |
| 3 | Bengal Immunity Ltd. | 107.7 | 671.6 | 787 | 787 |
| 4 | Bharat Brakes & Valves Ltd. | — | 78.7 | @ | — |
| 5 | Bharat Coking Coal Ltd. | — | 41136.0 | None | — |
| 6 | Bharat Earth Movers Ltd. | — | 2.9 | — | — |
| 7 | Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd. | 0.3 | 77.2 | 61 | 2 |

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 8 | Bharat Heavy Plate & Vessels Ltd. | — | 1233.3 | 2430 | _____ |
| 9 | Bharat Pumps & Compressors | Ltd.— | 1111.6 | 1564 | — |
| 10 | Bharat Refractories Ltd. | 2562.5 | 7010.7 | 3795 | 4213 |
| 11 | Bharat Ophthalmic Glass Ltd. (As on 31.3.02) | 262.5 | 328.8 | All | All |
| 12 | Bharat Wagon & Engg. Co. Ltd (As on 31.3.02) | . 398.0 | 831.1 | 1606* | |
| 13 | Birds, Jute & Exports Ltd. | 16.0 | 33.0 | 152 | 152 |
| 14 | Braithwaite & Co. Ltd. (As on 31.3.02) | — | 1313.4 | 1180* | — |
| 15 | British India Corporation Ltd. | — | 554.0 | 4510 | — |
| 16 | Brushware Ltd. | — | 48.0 | 2 | — |
| 17 | Burn Standard Company Ltd. (As on 31.3.02) | 250.0 | 5291.9 | $ | — |
| 18 | Cawnpore Textiles Ltd. | — | 34.0 | 60 | — |
| 19 | Cement Corpn. of India Ltd. | 1131.5 | 2545.1 | N.A. | 1759# |
| 20 | Central Coal Fields Ltd. | — | 196.0' | None | — |
| 21 | Central Inland Water Transport Corp. Ltd. (As on 30.4.02) | 1051.0 | 2554.0 | 2626 | 1811 |
| 22 | Elgin Mills Company Ltd. | — | 77.0 | 200 | — |
| 23 | Heavy Engineering Corpn. Ltd | . 912.0 | 8956.0 | 8277 | 6622 |
| 24 | Hindustan Antibiotics Ltd. | — | 1837.0 | 206 | — |
| 25 | Hindustan Cables Ltd. | — | 2744.4 | 5935 | — |
| 26 | Hindustan Copper Ltd. (As on 31.3.02) | 2192.0 | 3108.0 | 9502 | 9502 |
| 27 | Hindustan Insecticides Ltd. | — | 90.6 | 2140 | — |
| 28 | Hindustan Photo Films Mfg. Corp. | 319.4 | 803.7 | 2063 | 2063 |
| 29 | Hindustan Salts Ltd. | 89.8 | 109.2 | 576 | 576 |
| 30 | Hindustan Shipyard Ltd. (As on 31.3.02) | 723.0 | 755.0 | 474 | — |
| 31 | Hindustan Steel Works Constn. Ltd. | 12848.0 | 19918.0 | 13576 | 13576 |
| 32 | H.M.T. Ltd. | 976.0 | 2785.0 | 8072 | 8072 |
| 33 | Hooghly Dock and Port Engineers Ltd. | — | 86.3 | 904 | — |
| 34 | Hospital Services Cons. Ltd. | 0.0 | 1.7 | 2 | 2 |
| 35 | Hotel Corporation of India | 820.0 | 820.0 | — | 3885 |
| 36 | Indian Drugs & Pharm. Ltd. | 1133.0 | 10006.0 | 7016 | 7016 |

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 37 | Indian Iron and Steel Co. Ltd. | — | 6931.0 | 1555 | — |
| 38 | Instrumentation Ltd., Kota | 975.0 | 2254.0 | 1880 | 1880 |
| 39 | Jessop & Co. Ltd. | 196.4 | 1751.1 | 1495* | |
| 40 | Mazagon Dock Ltd. | 1.0 | 32.2 | 26 | 17 |
| 41 | National Aluminium Co. Ltd. | — | 89.0 | 82 | — |
| 42 | National Building Cons. Ltd. | 260.9 | 510.7 | 160 | 1370 |
| 43 | National Industrial Dev. Corp. | 533.0 | 587.0 | 160 | 248 |
| 44 | National Instruments Ltd. (As on 28.2.02) | 727.0 | 892.4 | 467 | 467 |
| 45 | National Jute Man. Corp. Ltd. | 3123.0 | 15913.0 | 19448 | 19448 |
| 46 | National Projects Con. Corp. | 1885.0 | 4952.0 | 3109 | 2576 |
| 47 | National Seeds Corp. Ltd. | 189.2 | 454.8 | 1037 | 1037 |
| 48 | NEPA Ltd. | 1282.0 | 1956.0 | 2116 | 2116 |
| 49—58 | NTC & Subsidiaries | 8389.0 | 38761.0 | 80604 | 80604 |
| 59 | Pondicherry Ashok Hotel Corp. (As on 30.4.02) | — | 0.7 | N.A. | N.A. |
| 60 | Praga Tools Ltd. | 650.0 | 1565.0 | 1211 | 778 |
| 61 | Projects and Development Indi | ia — | 2194.1 | N.A. | — |
| 62 | Ranchi Ashok Hotel Company (As on 31.1.02) | 3.6 | 10.5 | None | 4 |
| 63 | RBLLtd. (As on 31.3.02) | 60.7 | 113.4 | — | — |
| 64 | Richardson & Cruddas (1972) Ltd. | 460.0 | 737.9 | 786 | 786 |
| 65 | Sambhar Salts Ltd. | 112.5 | 127.4 | 537 | 537 |
| 66 | Scooters India Ltd. | — | 16.1 | N.A. | — |
| 67 | Smith Stanistreet & Pharma. | 64.0 | 200.7 | 470 | 470 |
| 68 | State Farms Corporation Ltd. | 450.0 | 2850.0 | 6550 | 5200 |
| 69 | Tea Trading Corpn. | 1030.0 | 1902.0 | 4819* | — |
| 70 | Triveni Structurals Ltd. | 270.0 | 954.8 | 787 | 787 |
| 71 | Tungbhadra Steel Products Ltd. | 126.7 | 750.9 | 786 | 786 |
| 72 | Tyre Corporation of India Ltd. | 183.1 | 1329.2 | 1078 | 2538# |

$- 2461 existing on rolls, PF dues also includes dues of 3823 separated on VR, 298 superannuated under the normal retirement and 156 retired on roll back.Break-up of no. of employees is not available.

#- Includes regular employees, contract labourers and employees who havetaken VRS/retired.

@- Gratuity dues in respect of 26 employees.

Source: Department of Public Enterprises.